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Attorney Docket No.	MBC-0511
First Inventor	Bury, Jeffrey R.
Title	Strength Improvement Admixture
Express Mail Label No.	EL722636040US

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 87]  
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- Descriptive title of the invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to sequence listing, a table,  
or a computer program listing appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
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4. ☐ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets \_\_\_\_\_]
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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12. ☐ Information Disclosure [ ] Copies of IDS  
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☐ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	New Patent Application
Filing Date	February, 26, 2004
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1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3	
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1053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	2012	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	2004	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	2005	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
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1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
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1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
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Dear Sirs:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. §111(a) is a written application for a patent.

Express Mail No. EL722636040US

Docket No. MBC-0511

Title: Strength Improvement Admixture

Inventors: Jeffrey R. Bury, Thomas M. Vickers, Jr. and Bruce J. Christensen

Assignee: Construction Research and Technology GmbH

The present application claims the benefit of the filing date, under 35 U.S.C. §119(e), from U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/450,374 filed February 26, 2003.

Enclosed is:

Transmittal Letter with Certificate of Mailing and Authorization to Charge Deposit Account (2 pages - in duplicate)

Utility Patent Application Transmittal Sheet (1 page)

Fee Transmittal Sheet (1 page - in duplicate)

Multiple Dependent Claim Fee Calculation Sheet

Application Data Sheet

Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages)

Specification:

<u>46</u>	pages of Description
<u>40</u>	pages of Claims
<u>1</u>	page of Abstract

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